

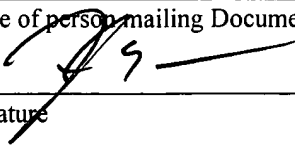
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	For:	Redundant Precision Time Keeping for Utility Meters
	Group Art Unit:	2857
	Examiner:	Paul L. Kim
	Our Docket No.:	1505-0088

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2004 for the above-identified patent  
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Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.